OPINION 1595

Aleuropteryx Löw, 1885 (Insecta, Neuroptera): *Aleuropteryx loewii* Klapálak, 1894 designated as the type species

Ruling

(1) Under the plenary powers all fixations of type species for the nominal genus *Aleuropteryx* Löw, 1885 are hereby set aside and *Aleuropteryx loewii* Klapálak, 1894 is designated as type species.

(2) The name *Aleuropteryx* Löw, 1885 (gender: feminine), type species by designation under the plenary powers in (1) above *Aleuropteryx loewii* Klapálak, 1894, is hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology.

(3) The name *loewii* Klapálak, 1894, as published in the binomen *Aleuropteryx loewii* (mandatory correction of *Löwii*; specific name of the type species of *Aleuropteryx* Löw, 1885), is hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology.

(4) The name ALEUROPTERYGINAE Enderlein, 1905, type genus *Aleuropteryx* Löw, 1885, is hereby placed on the Official List of Family-Group Names in Zoology.

History of Case 2651

An application for the designation of *Aleuropteryx loewii* Klapálak, 1894 as the type species of *Aleuropteryx* Löw, 1885 was received from Drs J.D. Oswald (*Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, U.S.A.*) & M. Meinander (*Helsingfors Universitet, Helsingfors, Finland*) on 14 March 1988. After correspondence the case was published in BZN **45**: 272–274 (December 1988). Notice of the case was sent to appropriate journals. No comments were received.

Decision of the Commission

On 1 December 1989 the members of the Commission were invited to vote on the proposals published in BZN **45**: 273. At the close of the voting period on 1 March 1990 the votes were as follows:

Affirmative votes — 25: Bayer, Bock, Cocks, Cogger, Corliss, Dupuis, Hahn, Halvorsen, Heppell, Holthuis, Kraus, Lehtinen, Macpherson, Mahnert, Martins de Souza, Minelli, Mroczkowski, Nielsen, Nye, Ride, Savage, Schuster, Thompson, Uéno, Willink

Negative votes — none.

No votes were received from Kabata, Starobogatov and Trjapitzin.

Original references

The following are the original references to the names placed on Official Lists by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

ALEUROPTERYGINAE Enderlein, 1905, *Zoologischer Anzeiger*, **29**: 225.

Aleuropteryx Löw, 1885, *Sitzungsberichte der Kaiserlichen Akademie der Wissenschaften, Wien.* Mathematische-Naturwissenschaftlichen Klasse (Abt. 1), **91**: 79.

loewii, *Aleuropteryx*, Klapálak, 1894, *Entomologist's Monthly Magazine*, **30**: 122.